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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, 30TH OCTOBER, 1868.

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AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND: GORDON & GOTCH, Melbourne and Sydney. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally: - White & BAUER, San

Francisco CHINA:-Swatow, Drown & Co. Amoy, GILER & Co. Foochow, THOMPSON & Co. Shanghai, H. Foog & Co. Ma- THIS & TO-MORROW EVENING ida, C. KABUTH & Co

Arrivais.

Oct. 29, Golden Horn, Brit. ship, 1140, Rice, Sydney, Sept. 10, 1400 tona Coal, and General.—Order. Oct. 30, Parsee, American barque, 540, Fra Diavolo, alias) Soule, San Francisco, Sept. 1, Wheat and Flour.—Bosman & Co. Oct. 30, Talca, Brit. barque, 437, Wool- Mattee,Mr W. Boxp. lacott, Sydney, Aug. 23, 600 tons Coal and Sundries.—ABNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Oct. 30, Princessa Clotilde, Ital, corvette, Labuan and Manila, Oct. 3, 17 and 26.

Departures.

Oct. 30. Oscar Vidal, for Yokohama. 30. Deucalion, for Bangkok.

Passengers.

ARRIVED. Per Golden Horn, Mr and Mrs Hoomai, and 32 Chinese.

Shipping Reports.

The American barque Parsee, from San Francisco, reports fine weather all the passage. 45 days out.

The British barque Talca, from Sydney. reports fine weather and light Northerly wind; 21st Sept., crossed the Equator in long. 166.14 E. 68 days out.

The British ship Golden Horn, from Sydney, reports fine weather to 3rd Oct. in long. 168. E., thence had moderate N. E. wind; passed Guam on 20th Oct., and the Batan Island on 26th Oct. 49 days out.

New Advertisements

PUBLIC AUCTION. AMMERT, ATKINSON & have received instructions to sell by Public Auction.

TO-MORROW.

SATURDAY, the 31st October, 1868, at 11 A.M., on board the Dutch brig "Gesiena," About 250 tons COAL.

(For account of whom it may concern,) TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, October 30, 1868.

FOR SHANGHAL

The Steamer "SUWONADA" will be despatched for the above Port at 3 P.M. To-mor- Street. row, the 31st instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, October 30, 1868.

HUNDREDTH EDITION REVISED AND ENLARGED

O UNN'S NEW FAMILY PHYSICIAN OR HOME-BOOK OF HEALTH. Forming a complete Household Guide. giving many valuable suggestions, for avoiding disease and, prolonging life, with plain directions in cases of emergency, and pointing out in familiar language the causes, symptoms, treatment and cure of diseases incident to

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LITERATURE. Price: \$2.50.

Notice. A few copies of the above WORKS can be had by applying to "B," C/o the China Mail Office. Hongkong, October 29, 1868.

FOR SALE. DAMORNIE, RATTLER, and PATHFINDER. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, October 29, 1868.

New Advertisements.

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73rd REGIMENT THEATRICALS. BAND AMATEUR SOCIETY.

DY the kind permission of Lieut.-Colonel G. J. BURNE. The Members of the above, will perform GARRISON THEATRE,

> North Barracks. The 30th and 31st October, 1868.

The original Burlesque Burletta by H. J. Byron, Esquire, FRA DIAVOLO;

BEAUTY AND THE BRIGANDS. Lord Alleash,......Mr T. H. BAHNARD. the Marquis Di Mr F, MACKEY.

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Lady Alleash,.....Miss Makion Malone To conclude with the laughable farce in one Act by LENOX Home, Esq.

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TWO HEADS ARE BETTER THAN Mr-Strange,......Mr W. Boyn. Charles Conquest, .. Mr T. H. BARNARD.

Mr Maxwelton,.....Mr M. CARMODY. Sammy Maxwelton, Mr W. C. A. WHITH AM Ellen Strange, Miss LOTTIE MAGILL. Orchestra by the remainder of the Band. PRICES OF ADMISSION,-

Reserved Seats,.....\$2.00. Front Seats,...... 1.00. Back Seats, 0.20.

Tickets to be had from the Manager at Murray Barracks and at the Door of the Theatre on the Night of the Performance. Doors open at half-past 8; Performance to commence at 9 precisely.

Manager, Corp. EDWARD WALSH.

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TONATIONS of Books, Periodicals, Newspapers, Clothes, &c., will be most thankfully received. A. OVERBURY,

Superintendent. Hongkong, October 29, 1868.

FRENCH CONSULATE—NOTICE WING to the accident to the building in Elgin Street, formerly occupied as the French Consulate, the Office of the above has been temporarily Removed to prompt attention. Fancy BISCUIT and the French Mission House, Staunton CAKE constantly on hand.

Hongkong, October 29, 1868.

STEAM-BOAT "MEKONG." PENDERS are invited stating the lowest price for altering the above steamer lying at anchor off Shamien, Cauton, now propelled on the centre wheel system, into a paddle-wheel boat. Particulars may be obtained from the Undersigned, who do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hougkong, October 29, 1868.

ANDREW MILLAR House, ship, & steam-boat plumber, with the simplest and best remedies; pre- COPPERSMITH & BRASSFOUNDER

No. 1, Queen's Road East and Nullah Lane. Hongkong, October 28, 1868.

NOTICE.

VICTORIA REGATTA CLUB. NTRIES for all Presentation Prizes for the 1st, 7th and 8th Races of the First Day, and the 6th Race Second Day, at the ensuing Regatta, will close on SA-TURDAY, the 31st inst., at 5 P.M. All Entries must be accompanied by the mount of Entrance Fee.

A. MoLEOD, Hon. Sec. V.R.C.

Hongkong, October 28, 1868. H. M. NAVAL YARD. ENDERS will be received by the Glassware, Dinner and Dessert Sets, Undersigned till Noon on SATUR- Electro-plated and Silver-ware, Chande-DAY, the 81st instant, for the construction liers, etc. of a Granite Foundation for a Punching and SHEARING MACHINE in the Naval Yard, where the plan and specification may be

seen and the necessary particulars obtained.
ALF. H. PRICE, Naval Storekeeper. Hongkong, October 23, 1868. WANTED.

ONNAGE to Amoy for 300 to 400 Tons of Dead Weight. ROB, S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, October 21, 1868.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE. HE Buildings known as DENT-AND COMPANY'S HONGKONG PRAYA PROPERTY wil be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION,

FRIDAY. the 20th November, 1808, at 3 P.M.; on the Ground. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.

4 rectioneers. Hongkong, October 22, 1868. COVERNMENT NOTIFICATION

use of Victoria Gaol, from the 21st Novem and consisting of ber, 1868, to the 20th November, 1869, inclusive, will be received at this Office until Noon of the 10th NOVEMBER, 1868. forms of Tender may be obtained on appli-

Tenders to be addressed to the Colonial Secretary, and endorsed "Tender for Gaol Contract, 1869."

By Command, J. GARDINER AUSTIN, Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, October 23, 1868.

MORRIS'S DIRECTORY FOR CHIN JAPAN AND THE PHILIPPINES etc., &c., 1869... HE Undersigned begs to announce that

the first volume of the above work will be published early in January 1869, and he requests that the schedules addressed to the different residents be returned as soon as possible and that all foreigners lately arrived in China will kindly send their names for insertion without delay. Orders will be received by and copies can

be obtained from Messrs Drown & Co. Swatow, Messrs Gills & Co. Amoy, Messrs out. HEDGE & Co. Foochow, Shanghai Recorder Office Shanghai, Japan Times Office Yokohama, Mesers Case & Co. Nagasaki, F ALCAR, Esq., Clements Lane, London, and Messrs J. STRATMAN & Co. San Francisco. J. B. MORRIS.

N. B.—All advertisements must be sen in not later than 15th November. Hongkong, October 19, 1868.

NOTICE. HE Undersigned will not be responsibled for any Debts contracted by the Officers and Crew of the Dutch barque "Pan- plans, apply to

(Signed) F. VAN DER TAS, Hongkong, October 19, 1868.

LL Persons having claims against the A Estate of the late firm of DENT & Co are requested to furnish particulars of the same to the Trustees, addressed to the care of Mr E. Wheeley, Hongkong, on or bofore the 30th November, 1268, in order to participate in the first Dividend.

A. TURING. Trustees of Dent V. KRESSER. Co.'s Estate. W. LEMANN, Hongkong, September 18, 1868.

THE Office of the Wanch, STRAM BAKERY is REMOVED to the Store of Messis MACEWEN & Co., where all orders addressed "Wanchi Stram Bakery" will receive

Hongkong, September 3, 1868.

Auctions PUBLIC AUCTION. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell b Public Auction, on

SATURDAY the 31st October, 1868, at 11 A.M.,-(For account of whom it may concern.) Ex "Geziena," from Rotterdam, (D in diamond) 37 kegs ROSENAILS. (All more or less damaged by sea water.) TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

Hongkong, October 29, 1868. PUBLIC AUCTION.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. THE Undersigned has received instruc-

tions from E. Mellish, Esq., sell by Public Auction, at his Residence Arbuthnot Road, on WEDNESDAY,

the 4th November, 1868, at Noon. HOLD FURNITURE, comprising—to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD in various forms, to any part of the Coocal Room Suites, righly-carved Marble Top Tables and Tea-Poys, Carpets, Engrave ings, Handsome Glass Flower Stands,

A Magnificent PIANOFORTE, by Collard and Collard, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Sedan Chairs, a quantity of Choice

oc31 | On view from Monday, 2nd November TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before deliver in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, October 24, 1868,

Anctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

HE Undersigned have received instructions from the Trustees of DENT & Co.'s Estate, to sell by Public Auction (if not previously disposed of by private

FRIDAY.

20th November, 1868, at 3 P.M., on the

The BUILDINGS known as DENT Co. 8 Hongkong Praya Property mea-ENDERS for the supply of Provisions suring 298 feet in frontage by 175 feet and other Articles required for the in depth, situated on Marine Lot No.

Eastern Wing, containing 5 Rooms on All information required, and Blank the 1st Floor and 8 Rooms on the 2nd Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out cation to the Superintendent of Victoria Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on, and a Godown below capable of hold

The Centre BUILDING known as DENT & Co.'s Offices, containing 8 Rooms, Compradore's Quarters, Spacious Fireproof Treasury and Godown, capable of

no10 | holding about 1,000 Tons. Western Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the pany's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or 1st Floor and 6 Rooms on the 2nd Floor with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on, and a Godown below of about 2,000 Tons capacity.

Crown Rent \$917.64 per annum.

.These Buildings have only been erected two years and are built of Granite and Brick, the woodwork being Teak through-

The whole of this Property to be sold either in one or more lots to suit pur-

TERMS OF SALE.—One third of the purchase money to be paid on fall of the hammer, one third 2 months after sale, and the balance 4 months after sale, in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Transfer expenses to be borne by the purchasers.

For further particulars or details of

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, October 16, 1868. nov20

Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK ING CORPORATION.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman, -George John Helland, Esq Deputy Chairman-GEO. F. HRARD, Esq. W. H. FORBES, ESQ. JAMES B. TAYLOR, Solomon D. Sassoon, Esq.

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of 1 per cent. per annum on the dail On Fixed Deposits .— For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum, ,, 6 ,, 4 per cent. ,, ,, ,, 12 ,, 5 per cent. ,, ,,

Credite granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. VICTOR KRESSER,

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No, 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, June 17, 1868

NOTICE. 11HE Undersigned having PURCHASED the Interest of the "WANCHI STEAM BARERY," begs to notify the Public of Hong-The whole of his Elegant HOUSE kong and Ship Masters that he is prepared

> Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at Also Ship BREAD or pest quanty and at low rates constantly on hand or baked in quantities at short notice.
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> Captain Rouges, will have immediate despatch for the hours will be landed and stored at risk and expense of the Consignees. Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY, CORN STARCH, BICARB, SODA, Sale-

ratus and Cream TARTAR. FLOUR of best Brands constantly on hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or

CAKE of all kinds baked to order. The above is under the Superintendence of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders

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STEAM FOR Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle Aden, Suez, Malta, Marneilles,

and Southampton; Bombay, Madras, and Caloutte HE PENINSULAR AND URIENTAL OFFICE

NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam ship "EMEU," Captain Barlow, with Her from Shaughai about the 3rd proximo, will Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and be despatched for the above ports on or Cargo, will leave this for the above places, about the 6th iden. One DWELLING HOUSE in the on TUESDAY, 3rd November, at 9 A.M. CARGO will be receive on board until 40 feet. Noon, on the 2nd, and SPECIE until 4 P.M. on the 2nd November and PARCELS of 40 feet. until Noon on the 2nd. For particulars regarding Freight and

Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong.

CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES

A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Houte is required by the Egyptian Government, and One DWELLING HOUSE in the must be delivered by the Shippers to the Comthemselves responsible for any detention or above port. prejudice which may happen from incorrect-

ness on such declaration. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.
W. MAUAULAY, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,



PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP

COMPANY. THROUGH U. B. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK, TEAMERS of this line will be despatch-O ed as follows :--Great Republic, on or about Aug. 15.

Great Republic, ,, Nov. Custa Rica will leave Shanghai on or about same dates; connecting at Yokohama with above-named steamers. Passengers ticketed through to California,

Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall. Return tickets issued at a reduction of as above.

10 % upon the whole amount for the round Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line." "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company," (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steam. ship Co., Hamburg and American Packet Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship

Co., and North German Lloyds. Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton

and St. Nazaire, France. Freight to United States payable in advance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent additional, at shipper's option. For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Prays West.

GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent. Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

Shipping.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, & FOUCHOW. Goods. The Steam-ship "KWANG TUNG,"
Captain PITMAN, will despatched for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

ports, on Saturday, the 31st instant, at 6

FOR CALCUTTA & SINGAPORE The British steamer

For Frieght or Passage, apply to (HBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, October 27, 1868. FOR SHANGHAL, CHEFOO AND

TIENTSIN. The Steam-ship Capt. Ashron, will have immediate despatch for the RT B

Hongkong, October 17, 1868,

Price, \$24 PER ANNUM.

The Dismond Line S. S. "UNITED SERVICE," expected to arrive from England before the end of the month, will proceed immediately to Shang-

THE BORNEO CO. LIMITED Hongkong, October 16, 1868 at a c

(Via Singapore, Penang and Manritins.)
The Ocean Steam-ship Ca

Rate of Freight for Tea £3.10/ per ton of

Rate of Freight for Silk £4.10/ per ton For further particulars regarding freight and passage, apply to

> FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American barque

cargo engaged, will load here, and at with Parcels; and the Company do not hold | Whampon, and have early despatch for the For Freight, apply to

OLYPHANT & Co. Hougkong, October 20, 1868.

. FOR SINGAPORE. The British barque "ASCENDANT," 517 Tons Register, Captain GERDES, will have quick despatch for the above port,

Hongkong, October 14, 1868. FOR NAGASAKI DIRECT. The A 1 N. G. barque

early despatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to LANDSTEIN & Co.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The British ship "DOUGLASS," 540 Tons Register, Morrison,

Master, will have quick despatch For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR SALE. The A 1 North German Brig "GAZELLE" of 196 Tons Register, built in 1865 all of Oak copper-fastened

first rate order. Apply to CARLOWITZ & Co.

Notices to Consignees.

COMPANY. (ONSIGNEE: of Cargo per Company's Steam-ship "Hoogly," are requested to send in their bills of lading for countersignature, and to take delivery of their Goods before the 31st instant, or they will be landed and stored at their risk and

Hongkong, October 29, 1868. "LOUISA", FROM LONDON. NONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named vessel are requested to send in

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. THE BURNEO COMPANY LIMITED.

Hougkong, October 21, 1868.

S. S. "SHAFTESBURY," FROM BOM-BAY & SINGALORE. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named steamer are requested to send their Bills of Lading for countersignsture in

Hongkong, October 19, 1868. 'HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of

the Consignees, who are requested to take mmediate delivery. Ex "Donnai," 7th January, 1868. . 1 Case Paper.

l'incipal Agent, Hongkong, October 6, 1868,

Shipping.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR LONDON

DRENNING MASTER, expected

BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, October 27, 1868.

"STERLING"
(BUILT IN 1866.)
of 468 Tons Register, HARDING, Master, having the greater portion of her

For Freight, apply to ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

"CATHARINA JUR-GENSEN"
Captain Peterson, will have

Hongkong, October 2, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The North German Ship will load for the above Port and have despatch. For Freight, apply to

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hougkong, October 13, 1868.

Hongkong, September 24, 1868.

and coppered. She ranges 3/3 L 1.1. in Veritas until May 1873. The vessel is in

Hongkong, October 21, 1868;

MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.

their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their

and expense of the Consignees.

LANDSTEIN & Co.

C. BERTRAND.

forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at above ports.

Messrs, MacEwen & Co.'s will receive above ports.

For Freight of Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, February 17, 1868,

NOTICE HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT. C. LANGDON DAVIES. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. THE Interest and Responsibility of Ma WILLIAM NEILSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last. Mr Tobias Pim. Mr William Nisbet OLMSTED and Mr H. SEYMOUR GEARY SIE authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

NOTICE. ROM and after this date Mr George F. BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this Port.

S. L. PHELPS,

Hongkong, August 15, 1867. NOTICE.

WITE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

AAR. HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE IV is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration, at Foochow from this date. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

NOTICE. MAR RYLE HOLME has been admitted A partner in our Firm. GLOVER & Co. Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER

GIFFORD FORBES PARKER. Saigon, December 20, 1867.

For Sale.

FOR SALE. UNTZ's Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. and II NALLS.

Vivian's Patent Yellow METAL Keel PLATES, 12lbs, and 13lb, with NAILS. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, June 14, 1867.

FOR SALE. "I'HE following WINES, &c., of superior quality in lots to suit purchasers : Eugene Clicquot dry CHAMPAGNE in

Pints and Quarts. Sillery Mousseux, CHAMPAGNE A. de Luze & File CLARETS, Pints and

Villanyi CLARET, Quarts. BURGUNDY. Liebfrauenmilch.

Josephdorfer Ausstich, CHOCK Rudesheimer, Fleur de Moselle. Superior Old PORT in I dozen cases. Superior dry Pale SHERRY in 1 and 3

dozen cases. Bass' ALE, Quarts and Pints. Barclay's STOUT, Quarts and Pints. Hennessy BRANDY in 1 dozen cases. A. de Luze & Fils Brandy in 1 dozen

Apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED. HE Company respectfully call the at-L tention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels, to their Establishment at Hongkong and Whampoa, for the DOOKING and REPAIRING of Vesseis of all classes.

At Hongkong the Company have the only Dock in the harbour,—a Granite U stant, the Charges for Board at the Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to Company's Hotel will be reduced to the admit Ships of 350 feet in length, and drawing 22 feet of water. Attached to it there are Shipwrights, Blacksmiths, Boiler-makers and Machinery works, and everything necessary for the

Repairs of Sailing Vessels or Steamers. The Company have also opened a Shipyard by the side of the Hongkong Dock, and are ready to contract for the construction of Steamers or Sailing Vessels of any

At Whampoa the Company have four Docks, in which they will take Ships at reduced rates. The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN" can be engaged to tow Vessels to sea, or

berth them, at reasonable rates. For particulars, apply to

JOHN INGLIS Acting Secretary.

. D. MITCHELL Manager of Works. Company's Office, H. kong Hotel Building, Hongkong, October 10, 1868.

FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED

THE above Dock has been in full working order for the last four years. Length 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of water on the sill, aprings, average 17 feet. neaps 14 feet. The Dock in ordinary Tides runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out Hongkong, Canton, Foodlow, Shangbai by Steam.

coppering, &c., &c., &c., apply to T. D. Tillinghast, Esq., Messrs De Silver & Co., Hongkong; Messrs Boyn & Co., Shanghai; or to the Undersigned. In connection with the above is the

powerful Twin Screw Tug "WOOSUNG." Vessels requiring the services of this Tug BAR, ROD, Angle IRON and RIVETS. either from Matsou (where a splendid anchorage will be found during the S. W. monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can ob- METAL, Rods and Pipes. Gas FITTINGS | the Flag Ship each day after the Second tain them at moderate rates, on application of every description. Boiler TUBES, Pres- race.

JOHN C. SKEY, Manager.

New Advertisements OWRA & Co. will sell by Public

Auction. TO-MORROW. the 31st October, 1868, at Noon.-Under a precept of the Summary Ju-

isdiction Court. At the residence of Messrs REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co., corner of Gage Street, quantity of Office and Household FURNITURE.

3 CRSCS PERFUMERY. 1 HOUSE-BOAT, Sails, Oars, etc. All Lots to be cleared on the day of

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, October 30, 1868.

FAWCETT & Co., WATINE & SPIRIT MERCHANTS. GENERAL STORE KEEPERS, AND COMMISSION AGENTS. Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

NOTICE and after the 1st November, 1868, Board and Longing-Board or LODGING-OF SPARE BED ROOMS, Furnished or Unfurnished, can be had at the House formerly known as the ORIENTAL HOTEL. Board and Lodging, ... \$50 per Month. For further particulars, apply to FAWCETT & Co. Hongkong, October 30, 1868.

ONSIGNEES of Coal from Sydney per French ship "Bengali," are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of the same Lay-days will commence to-morrow.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, October 30, 1868. REUTER'S TELEGRAM COMPANY,

LIMITED. OTICE is hereby given that Mr CEORGE Twigge Marston has this day been appointed special Agent of the above Company at Point de Galle, Ceylon, to whom all communications must in future be addressed.

HENRY M. COLLANS, Indian Branch. Bombay, September 1, 1868.

HE Undersigned begs to inform the 1 Public of Hongkong that he has just opened THE HOTEL DES COLONIES RES-TAURANT, where he will personally superintend his own Cuisine. He is prepared to take orders and deliver to any part of the City at the shortest notice. He is also ready to cater or take the management of Balls, Parties, &c. Having been several years Cook of the New York Club, he feels confident, by a strict attention to business, to merit a share of public patronage.

N.B.—Baked Fork and Beans, Thursday and Sunday. Fish Chowder, Tuesday and H. TRENT.

No. 198, Queen's Road West, Hongkong, Uctober 17, 1868. CANTON RACES.

THE above Races will take place on Wed-Further particulars will be duly announc-FRED. W. COARL.

Clerk of the Course.

Hongkong, October 14, 1868. NEW BOOK, THE Speculations of The Old Philosopher

LAU-TSZE." Translated from the Chinese JOHN CHALMERS, A.M.

Price \$1.50.

"The Origin of the Chinese" by the same author: Price \$1. Apply at Messrs Lane, Crawford & Co. or The London Mission House. Hongkong, October 17, 1868.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY

LIMITED. NOTICE. () N and after Monday next, the 19th in-

following scale:--For Board, to Residents or Non-residents, \$45 a month. For 1 Breakfast, ... \$0,80. 1 Dinner, | 1.25:

On and after Wednesday, the 21st inst. no money will be taken at the Bar or in the Billiard Rooms. Tickets will be on Sale in the Bar and Billiard Rooms, price 25 cts. each, and Drinks and Games must be paid for with these.

By order of the Board of Directors, C. LANGDON DAVIES, Secretary. Hongkong, October 17, 1868.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. LIFE ASSURANCE.

THE Undersigned are authorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE

COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON. THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at and Hankow, and are prepared to grant

For further particulars as to the price of Insurances at current rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

FOR SALE AT EAST POINT. Complete assortment of Lowmon and Thornycroft PLATE, and Sheet IRON. Double Shear, Spring and Blister STEEL. in round, square and flat bars. Babbits P.M., and Tiffin will take place on board sure GUAGES. FILES, PACKING and

all kinds of Engineer's Supplies. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, September 1, 1868.

New Advertisements. VICTORIA REGATTA CLUB.

Committee The Hon. WM. Keswick, Chairman, J. RICKETT, Jnr., Esq. RICHARD F. HAWKE, Esq. A. W. GLENNIE, Esq. A. MoLeod, Esq., Hon. Secretary.

PROGRAMME of the 15th Annual Meet-FIRST DAY

. Tuesday, 10th November, 1868 FIRST RACE, I P.M.—For Boats pulled by non-commissioned Officers and Men of any Regiment or Corps in Garrison. Distance, one mile. Prizes; first Boat, \$25; second, \$10. Time for Oars. Entrance fee, \$1. Officers can officiate as Coxswains if necessary. SECOND RACE, 1.30 P.M.—For Single Pair

Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize: the GOLD CHALLENGE SCULLS. to be won two years in succession by the same member, and a Cup valued \$25, presented by the CLUB. trance fee, \$5. THIRD RACE, 2.30 P.M. For Four cared

Canton Cutters. Distance, one mile and-a-half. Prize: the CHAIRMAN'S Cup, value \$250. Entrance fee. \$10. FOURTH RACE, 3 P.M. - For Men-of-war's Gigs. Distance, one mile. Prizes first Boat, \$20; second, \$5. Time for Oars. Entries received by R. F. HAWKE, Esq., until noon on Monday, the 9th November. Entrance fee, \$1. FIFTH RACE, 3.50 P.M.—For Pair Oars and Two Pair Sculling Boats. Distance.

one mile. Prize, the AMERICAN CUP. valued \$300, presented by the American Community. Entrance fee, \$5. exth Rade, 4 p.m.—For Canoes. Distance, from the shore to the Flag-ship. and once round. Prize: the Broker's CUP, value \$50. Entrance fee, \$2

given for the 2nd and 3rd Canoes. \$15; Second, \$5. Entrance fee, \$1. AILING RACE FOR ALL OPEN BOATS, Chi- Hager nese excepted. Prizes: first Boat. \$25; second, \$10. Course to be speoified hereafter. Entrance fee, \$2.

HARBOUR YACHT RACE. - For all Yachts. Schooners to sail as Cutters, deducting one-third of their tonnage. Time allowance fifteen seconds per ton. Prizes, the Toong-Foo Cur, presented by E. A. HITCHCOCK, Esq., and the CANTON Cur, presented by the Canton Regatta Club. First boat to have the choice of Prizes, the remaining Prize to go to second boat. Entrance fee, \$5. Particulars of the Course will be duly announced.

SECOND DAY. Wednesday, 11th November, 1868. FIRST RACE, I P.M. -For Men of war's Cutters. Distance, one mile. First Boat, \$25; second, \$10. Entrance fee, \$1. Entries received by R. F HAWKE, Esq., until noon on Monday,

the 9th November. SECOND RACE, 1.30 P.M. -For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize: the Ladies' Purse, presented by the Ladies of Hougkong. Entance

nesday 16th and Thursday 17th Dec- THIRD RACE, 2.30 P.M. For Four-cared Canton Cutters. Distance, one mile and-a-half. Prize: the PERTHSHIRE KEGATTA CUP, value \$150, presented by the Officers of H. M. 73rd (Perthshire Regiment). The Winners of the Chairman's Cup excluded. Entrance

> FOURTH RACE, 3 P.M.—For all Boats manned by Europeans. Distance, one mile. | Prizes : first Boat, \$25 ; second, \$10. Time for Oars. Entries received by the Secretary until noon on Monday, the 9th November. Entrance fee, \$1. FIFTH RACE, 3 30 P.M. -For Pair Oars and Two Pair Sculling Boats. Distance,

one mile. Prize, the BISNEE CUP. value \$100, presented by D. RUTTUN-Winners of the American Cup excluded. Entrance fee, \$5. SIXTH RACE, 4 P.M .- For Boats pulled by non-commissioned Officers and Men of any Corps in Garrison. Distance, one mile. Time for oars. Prizes: first

Boat, \$20; second, \$5. Winners of the first race first day excluded. Entrance fee, \$1. VENTH RACE, 4.30 P. M .- For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize, the Kwong-Loong Cup, valued \$100, presented by C. D. KERR, Esq. Winners of any Single Pair Sculling

Race in China or elsewhere excluded. Entrance fee, \$5. EIGHTH RACE, 5 P.M.—For four-oared Canton Cutters. Distance, one mile. Prize, the JINKEE CUP, value \$150. presented by a Subscriber. Entrance

VACHT RACE.—For Schooners and Cutters. Prizes, the NAVAL and GARRISON CUPS. No time allowance between Schooners and Cutters, but boats under 12 tons will be allowed 20 seconds per ton (for each ton under 12) in their own class. The first boat in of either rig to have the choice of Prizes, and the first boat of the other rig to take the remaining prize. Entrance fee \$5. Particulars of the Course will be

OCEAN RACE .- For Yachts. Prize, the Douglas Challenge Cup value \$500. presented by Douglas Lapraik, Esq. Yacht or Yachts the bona fide property of the same owner. The Course will be from Hongkong Harbour to Macao and back. Schooners to sail as Cutters, deducting one-third of their tonnage. Time allowance one minute per ton. Entrance fee, \$10. Full particulars of the course and day of the

Race will be duly sunounced. The above Programme is subject to any future alterations the Committee may find | CRINOLINES, Muslin EMBROIDERIES it necessary to make. Weights, colors, and names of each Crew for Presentation Prizes for Rowing must be

stated on entering Boats. All entries (not otherwise specified) must be made to the Hon. Secretary, on or before the 31st October, 1868. The Races will commence each day at 1

> A. McLEOD, Hon. Recretary, Victoria Regatta Chib.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

I OCUMENTS Translated, at reasonable rates, from English, French, Spanish, Italian, Portuguese or German into Chinese, or from Chinese into English. Ad-The "China Mail" Office,

2. Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

NOTICE.

R. J. THOMSON begs to intimate that he is now publishing a Series of 40 VIEWS OF HONGKONG, price \$25:-10 Views from Plates, 4 Small instantaneous Subjects from the Dragon Procession. Hongkong, September 4, 1868.

HE Undersigned are prepared to Coal Steamers on the most reasonable terms from a Cargo of English Steam Coals now affoat in this Harbour or from fresh Welsh and Australian Coals in Store. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, September 22, 1868.

NOTICE.

OW Publishing, a series of Photographic Views of Hongkong, Canton and Macao, Characteristic Groups etc., etc., by the Undersigned; about 150 Photographs to In sets of 50 mounted,.....price, \$30.

50 unmounted, ... ,, FLOYD & Co. Hongkong, September 21, 1868.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCL COMPANY, LIMITED.

Should six or more Canues start, a 2nd CHAREHOLDERS are requested to take Prize (\$20) and 3rd Prize (\$10) will be notice that the seventh call of Fifty Dollars on the new Stock of the above SEVENTH RACE, 4.30 P.M.—For House | named Company is due on the 1st Decem-Boats pulled by Chinamen, the bond ber next and will be payable at the office of fide crews of the Boats entered. Dis- the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking tauce, one mile. Prizes: First Boat, | CORPORATION, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Ma-

Interest at the rate of Twelve per centum per annum will be changed after the above

By order of the Board of Directors, GEORGE N. MINTO.

Hongkong, September 2, 1868.

GEORGE GLASSE. (FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO KINGSFORD & Co., PICCADILLY

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VICTORIA EXCHANGE, INVITE inspection of their New and we assorted summer Stock of Black and Blue Broad CLOTHS.

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Ladies' Trimmed HATS and BONNETS FLOWERS, FEATHERS, &c. Ladies' and Childrens' UNDER-CLOTHING.

Lace and Muslin CURTAINS.

Hongkong, April 27, 1868,

Ladies' Cotton and Lisle HOSIERY. LISLE and Silk GLOVES, do.

New Advertisements. SALWAY ARCHITECT, SURVEYOR, &c.,

10. Queen's i oad Central, (Over Messrs Muller & Claussen's.) HE "TREATY PORTS OF OHINA & JAPAN," AND "NOTES AND QUERIES ON CHINA AND JAPAN.

EXTRACTS FROM REVIEWS.

(From the "Friend of India," June 4, 1868.) We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the numbers for the current year of "Notes and Queries," a most deserving Angle-Chinese monthly, edited by Mr N B. Dennys, whose "Treaty Ports of China and Japan" are so well known. From the Sycee. names attached to the "Notes" we can see that the contributors include some of the best Chinese scholars in the East. Its interest is not confined to China, and it will English Sovereigns. be of valuable assistance to all scholars, who have directed their attention towards the Discount. subject of Buddhism and its literature, and H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, ... generally to all who are interested in oriental antiquities. It deserves to be better | Union Dock ... known in India.

(From the "Straits Times," July 27, 1868. Some time ago we had occasion to remark upon the progress that Literature as represented by the Press had made and was making in the East, and our attention has again been called to the subject by the receipt of a Hongkong publication which deserves some notice and which we have much pleasure in introducing to the knowledge of our readers. We allude to Notes and Queries on thina and Japan, published monthly by Mr Saint, the proprietor of the China Mail newspaper. This publication is well printed on good paper, and in size and shape is very like its well-known namesake or prototype at home, and is equally a mine containing very curious and usefuinformation regarding the language, literature, history, manners and customs of the Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese. It says a good deal for the extent and stability of the footing of Europeans China, that such a publication as this should be established and conducted with

apparently successful vigour. The publication is altogether a very interesting one, and wishing it every success we commend it to the attention and support (From the "London Examiner," May

This really useful volume ["Treaty Ports of China and Japan"] is intended as a guide for travellers and residents in China and Japan, and as a book of reference for mercantile men generally. It contains an account, historical and political, of all the open ports of these countries, together with Peking, Yedo, Hongkong, and Macao. has been carefully compiled and edited by Mr N. B. Dennys; and the elaborate maps and plans, with which the work abounds,

considerably enhance its value. * * * We have thus given in outline some o the more prominent portions of the chapter devoted to Canton, as a specimen of the Peking, the capital, are so interesting, and contain so much that is new to European readers respecting its history, public buildings, and general characteristics, that we would fain transfer them to our columns. A complete and intelligible plan of the Imperial City and neighbourhood, gives us an accurate notion of the relative position of

its divisions, streets, and places. In the introductory chapter to the notices of the Treaty Forts of Japan will be found a succinct history of that Empire, together with remarks on its government, geography, on a part of the world so long entirely, and still comparatively, unknown to Europeans. The descriptions of Nagasaki, Yedo, Yokohama, and the other Treaty Ports of Japan, are as elaborate and entertaining as those of the Chinese ports. A copious index and a useful appendix containing many hints and much appropriate advice to travellers and others, is also included in the volume. The entire work affords a vast amount of information, pleasantly written, and we doubt not will be perused with interest by many who will never visit the Lastern seas.

LATEST SHIPPING. ARRIVALS. Oct. 30, Bengali, Fren. barque, 432, Demiaux Etienne, Sydney, 6th Sept., Coal,

590 tons.—Order. CLEARED Edward Marquard, for Bangkok. Douglass, for Melbourne. Frederick, for Mauila.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The French barque Bengali, from Sydney reports fine weather. Crossed the Equator. on 28th Sept., in long. 1 2.17 E., from thence had moderate monsoon till arrival in port. 52 days out. The French barques Ocean and Courrier des Mers had left Sydney for Hongkong.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS MAILS WILL CLOSE:—

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW,-Per "KWANG TUNG," on Saturday, the 31st Instant, at 5 P.M. For SHANGHAL -Per "SUWONADA," To-morrow, the

31st Instant, at 2 P.M.

It is hereby notified that, under the authority of a Treasury Warrant dated the 1st | thing of the state. They will not, per-May last, Superintending, or First-Class haps, he permitted to make it so readily Schoolmasters in the Army will, in future, their own on Chinese soil as they do on be entitled to the same privileges in regard to Letters sent by or addressed to them on their own private affairs as are at present enjoyed by Commissioned Officers in the Army; and all Army Schoolmistresses will a Code for the future administration of be entitled (as Army Schoolmasters of all | the mines, not to place a high value on but the First-Class now are) to the same | the privilege to mine, or fetter it with privileges, in regard to their Letters, are

Private Soldiers. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmuster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, July 31, 1868.

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For Swatow, Amoy and Foothow, -Per "Kwang Tung," on Saturday, the 31st Instant, at 6 P.M. For Shanghai .-- Per Suwanada, at 3 P.M., To-morrow, the 81st inst.

UNDER DESPATCH.

QUONATIONS.

Hongkong, 30th October, 1868. OPIUM.—Patna, Now, ... \$6261 Benares, New, Malwa, COTTON. - BOMBAY, ... CALOUTTA, ...

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Temperature. Hongkong, 30th October, 1868. Attached Thermometer. Maximum S. Rgr.. Minimum S. Rgr., Max. Sun's Rays, Minimum on Grass, ... 61.0 revious (Rainon Grou., 0.00 4hours. | ... above. ... 0.00

THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, OCT. 30, 1868.

THE rapid development of the gold min-

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has followed the California discoveries

has not yet reached its limits. North

China and South Africa are to be added to the list of gold producing countries, and though neither may rival in extent or richness the older fields of California and Australia, both will probably prove attractive enough to induce immigration from America and from the British Colenies. Presently, the Indian archipelago will be "prospected." It is well known that the precious metals are there in abundance, but they are more easily obtained in healthier climates and under safer conditions of life than can be enwhole volume. Other chapters treating of | joyed in Borneo or Sumatra. Besides. Macao, Formosa, Ningpo, Shanghae, and the home supply of enterprising men the remainder of the treaty ports, we can | who spread themselves over the great only enumerate. The pages describing fields of the North and South during the first half dozen years of migratory excitement, has fallen away. People at home have become familiarised with the details of life on the gold fields-its dangers, privation, and ill fortune; and the golden visions that tempted so many thousands from the mother country between 1849 and 1855 are now powerless to delude them from the old accustomed paths. Again, the social condition of the mass is very much higher in Great and limits, which will be found particularly | Britain than it was twenty years ago. interesting as throwing a considerable light | Much misery exists, no doubt; but the struggle for life is not fettered by the grinding competition which then prevailed. Men in the middle ranks of life-in the liberal professions as well as in the higher branches of mechanical industry -saw that the avenues of employment were choked with eager rivals, and their impatience under a restraint which seemed artificial and unnatural was becoming dangerous, when California and Australia suddenly offered to them the breathing space they wanted, gave rewards to industry, and incitements to personal en-

> The relief thus afforded was eagerly embraced; and tens of thousands of Bril tain's best men left its shores in voluntury emigration, some to win high fortune, many to found homes, most perhaps to find that they could not escape disappointment even at the Antipodes. Such an exodus from the old country can never again occur. The temptation which occasioned it has ceased to be operative on a large scale; and therefore the discovery of gold deposits at the Cape and in the North of China will not be regarded with an overwhelming interest at home, except, in the case of the latter, as they may affect political conditions. But just in proportion to the absence of an indiscriminate and unreflecting rush will be the advent of adventurous and skilled men, who have acquired experience on the older fields, of California especially.

It is with such that the Chinese anthorities will have to deal. They know nothing of Blackstone, or of his teaching that gold, being the most precious of metals, was the property of the Crown because the Crown was the most precious American, where there is no Crown but it may be necessary to warn the authorities who, it is said, are compiling undue restrictions. Such a policy once brought the British Crown and the gold miners into armed collision in the great Southern gold colony. A similar event may happen here, if the "Crown" of China makes a similar mistake, or if it places unnecessary restrictions on the new branch of industry that seems likely to be introduced into its dominions, and which, if fairly carried on, will bring numberless other pursuits in its train, Wa see that in South Africa the Eurotude, and less than a the Upper Zambezi; map will show that t Sofala, on the east four degrees to the so indicated. But centu of Sofala had becom tradition, the existen interior of the Mozam authenticated by mod Livingstone mention stance which is give the question why su fields as these are de have produced such

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from the British settlements are to be allowed to dig for gold on payment of a license fee equal to forty shillings a year. which the representatives of the British application to be received as British sub-

Some particulars of the Pingtu mines have been already given. Those in South Africa have an historical interest. The auriferous track there is said to extend about two hundred miles from south to north, while its extent from east to west is unknown. It has been traced to a river running to the eastward. at about the 16th degree of south latitude, and less than a hundred miles from the Upper Zambezi; and a glance at the man will show that the site of the ancient Sofala, on the cast coast, is only about four degrees to the southward of the line indicated. But centuries after the wealth of Sofala had become little more than a tradition, the existence of gold in the interior of the Mozambique territory was Livingstone mentions a curious circumstance which is given as one answer to the question why such extensive goldfields as these are described to be should have produced such small results. The natives have been in the habit of considering the larger pieces of gold, or "nugin the ground in order to produce more. There can be no difficulty in understanding that the natives at present—the Zulus and kindred tribes—know nothing whatever of the modern theories respecting gold mines, or the profitable way to work them. This observation applies equally to the "home-keeping youths" among Chinese; but they will find able tutors in their countrymen who, if the Chefoo discoveries turn out well, may tries where they have gained a practical knowledge of gold mining of which their brethren and friends are at present ignorant.

Persons who have read Motley's History remember the picture he drew of Philip. seated solitary in a dark chamber of the Escurial, directing the movements and policy of Alva in the Low Countries. how Napoleon III. managed the Crimean Campaign from his palace of the Tuileries. It is reserved for us to complete a triad of such meddlesome people by mention of the scribe who does the Hongkong articles for the London and China Herald. He burrows in his office at Jerusalem-we mean the coffee house-

"Assumes the god,

Affects to nod," and if he does not "shake the spheres, at any rate he causes some laughter by his | peared to support the application on behalf occasional blunders. They have escaped criticism from their purely ridiculous character: but the last article on "Hongkong grievances" contains such a thoroughly characteristic perversion of fact, rule, because there was no attorney in that we are compelled to notice it. The writer says "When Governor Mac-Donnell first threatened Hongkong with a Stamp-tax, the mercantile community entreated him to forbear and to increase the Council were considerate enough to say that they would prefer paying double taxes to having the Stamp Act, and His Excellency told them that if they could show that to be the wish of the community, he would comply with their desire. But the community never were appealed to on the subject. The alternative of the Stamp Act or double taxation was never placed before them, and it is due to His Excellency to say that he viewed the suggestion unfavorably. He preferred the Stamp Act; and there is not a merchant, we really believe, in all Hongkong, who would now come forward and say that doubling the municipal rates would be a more equitable form of raising a revenue than that available by the Stamp Act.

LOCAL. We hear that "proceedings" have been initiated on account of an expression made use of by Mr Hayllar in the course of his reporter "the present barman." This poapplication for a new trial in Landstein & Co. v. Carlowitz & Co. What the form of I am the bona file proprietor of the license procedure is we have not heard, but sincerely hope it will not assume a violent as-

True morning the American flag was hoisted on board two steamers that have hitherto borne the older one of Great Britain, and with the change of flag has occurred a change of names. The Indore and the John Bright have passed into the possession of Messrs A. Heard & Co., as we are informed, and the name of the former is now the trade between the northern and Japan- of the assertion, as I now do of your "reese ports generally. The Mars, Captain port." Green, after having been painted and docked at Kowloong, will make her first trip under the new ownership to Shanghai and

A CASE was heard before Judge Ball in the Summary Jurisdiction Court yesterday, in which Captain Fabie of the Spanish brig Nuevo Constante was plaintiff, and Captain Ziegenhildt of the wrecked schooner China Packet was defendant. The former was represented by Mr Hazeland, and the latter by Mr Caldwell. Plaintiff sucd for the recovery of the sum of \$220, as passage money for defendant, his mate and seven of his crew, from Mauila to Hougkong, the China Packet having been wrecked on the C. M.] Luzon Coast. Defendant denied liability beyond his own passage-money and that of his servant; but plaintiff produced a letter by which Messrs Russell, Sturgis & Co (Manila) appeared to have as agents of the the sum now aned for. This letter, how- ing you wear is yellow,

sean miners who are making their way ever, could not be admitted as evidence. and the plaintiff was non-suited, and decreed to pay costs of attorney. Mr Caldwell then applied for damages for malicious arrest under a capias obtained by means of certain misstatements. His Honor remark-Government are to collect for the chiefs | ed with some warmth upon the abuse of the _some of whom have also made formul capies as illustrated by plaintiff's action. and allowed defendant \$50 and the costs of arrest as a solatium.

the temperature has been as yet. Abdool Raymand and Sedar Alli were charged with

The first-named look-out man was found at 2.30 a.m., and his stick was taken

authenticated by modern travellers. Dr | three weeks' hard labor, for having slapped a certain female, when that certain female had asked him to square accounts. Prited the alleged assault about I a m.

Sent to hard labor for two months.

return to their own land from the coun- only tifty cents, the pigs to be forfeited if The official in charge of the barrier is a not got rid of before Tuesday at 10 a m.

case was remanded for a few days.

SUPREME COURT. Thursday, Oct. 30.

(Before the Hon. the CHIEF JUSTICE.)

LANDSTEIN V. C. RLOWITZ. On the adjourned motion for a new trial | high authorities have tacitly encouraged his in the above case, Mr. Hayllar, who apof Messrs. Carlowitz & Co. said that he could not file any affidavits to strengthen what he had already said as to the gr und of misdirection, upon which, with other grounds, he based his application for the

the case to the Jury. take Mr. Hayllar's note for what he had habitants of the treaty ports. that the applicant was entitled to obtain the rule, no affirmation in this case would

CORRESPONDENCE

THE LICENSING MEETING. To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL." Sir. -In your issue of last evening under the head of "Spirit Licenses," your reporter has fallen into several grievous errors with respect to what passed with reference to the "Oriental Bar and Bowling Alleys," which I shall feel greatly obliged by your contradicting, as I feel them to be damaging to my position and character in

the Colony. In the first place, I am dubbed by your sition I beg most emphatically to deny, as granted to the "Oriental," and have been so for the past ten months, under a sublease from Mr Blackwood ("whom the Justices," as your reporter states, "no doubt knew very well," and who, I am aware took the lease of the house originally from

Mr Pearce. Again, your reporter (who must be an individual of highly imaginative temperament) represents Mr Sharp on behalf of Mr Pearce, as having stated distinctly that l was Mr Blackwood's barman, which state-Mars and of the latter Venus. We hope | ment is altogether incorrect. Mr Sharp the conjunction will be a fortunate one. said nothing whatever of the kind, and had They will, we understand, be employed in he done so I should have denied the truth

By publishing this letter in your issue o this evening you will greatly oblige, Your obedient servant,

DAVID BROWNE, Present Proprietor of the "Oriental Bar, Bowling Alleys and Billiard Saloon."

[Mr Sharp more than once referred to Mr Browne as the "barkeeper," and once distinctly as "barkeeper to Blackwood." Our report is quite correct, notwithstanding which Mr Browne may be proprietor and barman too. We cannot except the tremendous responsibility of what any legal gentleman might say in such a case.—Ed.

MB. JAMES LOWTHER M.P. for York. will succeed Sir Michael Hicks Beach as

Secretary to the Poor-law Board. FIDELITY, says another French author, is China Packet arranged for the payment of a virtue for which, when dead, the mourn-

The cold season appears to have taken have heard of, has lately happened near aristocracy, which is the same as to say it lege, according to its conscience. upon the Indian watchmen, mild although Chinkeang. A quantity of cargo worth should be ruled by its best heads. Elec- Shall we be seriously told that the numhaving been found fast asleep while on him under protection of a transit pass, has with vision bounded to self-secking goals, that is the very pith of the whole arguduty—their principal duty being thus pre- been stopped at the Wei-quan barrier near or one constitutionally despondent, might | ment. Social and political terrorism would sumed to be that of falling asleep at their | Chin-cheang pu-a city on the Grand Canal | readily despair of our republic on review- soon be put an end to, if every instance of away from him; while Alli was found at and cruelly flogged by the officials. A Washington. For a score of years we have It is an epidemic against whose poison the

INLAND TRANSIT DUES:

(N. C. Herald, Oct. 17.)

was fined \$3, but the former was discharged, and the four men are now impri- | cious) we soon swing ourselves up tout of | time adopted, the unworthy hope of coer-E. L. Strictland, seaman of the U. S. S. soned and flogged once a day, for the rapacious rankness, the mercenary filth, cion shall be found to have died out, people Unadilla, was fined \$10, with the option of | their persistent refusal to pay the tax de- | which from staining our garments is begin- | will, for sake of convenience, good order, soner had been drinking, and had commit- were last heard of. The sole cause for this that is, to men less the slaves of slaves of their own friends how they vote; and, in Fung Akow, a hawker, was found this the barrier squeezes, pleading the protection | verse our movement, and ascend vigorously | the ground. But if, on the other hand morning (by P. U. 66) in the act of helping of the transit passes. These were perfectly linto a lighter, purer air, the transit of the humble men should still see reason to think him elf to wood belonging to the Kowloong in order, and the cargo was really that re- despondent and the faithless will shape that they had better keep the fact as to how Dock. As prisoner had teen often warned ferred to in them. There is no possible ex- | themselves into the fears of the thoughtful | they vote to themselves, then, logically, Mr gets," as "seed gold," and replacing them off the premises, and numerous complaints | cuse for the barrier officials, who are simply | and the hopeful, and these will have to look | Mill is answered, because their fear is the had been made about pilferings from the perpetrating an illegal squeeze, and trying deeper than political forms and principles fact to be dealt with, the corrupting influ-Company's premises, of nails, wood and to enforce it by cruelty. A case so outrage- for the means of keeping the higher inter- ence of which tends to make men base. We copper, Mr Goodlake made an example of our would be best met by the despatch of lests of a great people from being sacrificed see no escape from this dilemma.—Exthe said hawker—who, by the way, admit- an armed boat's crew to forcibly release the to the lower, and of counteracting the de- aminer. ted being a hawker without a license. | goods and the shroffs, and bring their per- | moralizing influence of narrow egotisms and secutors to Chinkoang for punishment. la general relaxing materialism. Four Chinese in Upper Station Street | Some such strong measure is needed to (Wes!), was charged by James Livingston | bring the difficials in that part of the country with having kept "pigs upstairs and down- to their senses. The case in question is stairs." Dr Murray, it appears, had made only one of many that have lately occurred, frequent complaints against those houses; but is especially worth publicity from the but as the defendants were represented to outrageous behaviour towards the unhappy be poor people, his Worship fined them | Chinamen in , charge of the produce.

Hoppo who farms the taxes of the station Nine very rough-looking Chinamen were from the Peking Government, and holds charged with having been concerned in a his appointment direct from the Emperor. most daring robbery committed about six | The case is therefore a good one for H. B. o'clock this morning on the Praya. It ap- M. Minister to take up, as he can be met pears that a gang of thieves broke into the by no excuse of provincial responsibility. Lee-On store on the Praya at that hour, and I The Peking officials have the culprit in their were seen running off along the road with own hands, and his removal may be fairly fourteen bags of nails, each bag weighing insisted on. As we remarked before, this some fifty catties. P. C. 19 caught the case is only one of many in which the same ninth prisoner, and from information re- individual has been concerned. He has ceived Inspector Grimes apprehended the of late been giving trouble about all A contemporary historian has told us other eight in a coolie-house. The bags of goods going up country under transit cernails were thrown on the Praya after the tificates - always impeding, sometimes imthieves found it impracticable to take them | pounding them as in the present instance. off along with their own persons. At the About two months ago, for example, he request of the Captain Superintendent, the stopped Tls. 2,000 worth of shirtings belonging to the same merchant, and kept them for tweenty-eight days before our Consular authorities could get them released. His conduct was of course reported to the Futai and to the Viceroy; but, equally of course, nothing has been done to punish him, and there the matter rests. These

> continues the amusing game. Probably the loss of prestige which we have suffered in the recent difficulty has emboldened him to add personal outrage to his other offenees. His having done so should put a print upon his dareer. If such things are allowed to pass unbunished, there will be an end to Court at the time His Lordship summed up all the business with the interior; and foreigners may as well make up their His Lordship said that he had agreed to minds to retail piece goods to the insaid. But in point of fact the application was only one consolation under all these in- departed from legality to return to right. for a new trial on another issue; and the dignities is that they must, by and by, They are his own words. learned counsel was entitled to the rule on the pring matters to a climax, when sweeping ground of surprise, independent altogether | redress will be exacted once for all. The that the granting of the rule should be lations with China to a dead-lock, which

infraction of the treaty, and he of course

looked upon as an affirmation by his Lord- | force will be required to undo. From every ship of anything whatever. Leave granted part of the country comes a similar tale, for a new trial was looked upon as almost a | missionaries outraged, converts persecuted prima facie judgment; but with the fact | goods squeezed, servants bullied-and the action of our representatives is confined to despatches, which the Chinese officials value be understood. His Lordship then re- at the worth of the paper they are written quested the learned counsel to draw up the on. We invite Sir Rutherford Alcock's atrule and submit it, after which the rule was | tention to a passage from his own work, "The city of the Tycoon."

"Japan," he writes, "seems fast learning a lesson she would undoubtedly be slow to forget-that the Western Powers, notwithstanding the engerness and determination they show to make treaties with a new country-are little disposed to take the necessary steps to cause them to be respected. And if they should come to the conclusion, based upon a certain experiencethat every obligation contracted may be systematically evaded with impunity-if only such evasion be carried on under cover of professions of amity and good faith-it will be hard to get any substantial advantage

particular and the second of t ARISTOCRACY. (New York Round Table.)

"La carrière ouverte aux talents" is not a windy boast of the French Revolution; it is a transforming, vivifying reality. whereby France, as a State, has been for thirty years much more of an aristocracy than she ever was before; that is, in her political administration she has had more of her stronger and abler men than she had under the kings and nobles who for centuries were her sole governors. Hereditary lower strata of the social pile.

character. Among the citizens of a large | causeless cowards ? They are no more | other Australian Governments. They premodern republic, if it is to last, there must | cowards than the opponents of the Ballot | ferred, however, that the cable should be The illegal exaction of transit dues on be prevalent that union of good intentions are hypocrites; but the one opprobrious carried from Port Essington to the colonies foreign owned cargo is such a stale subject; with intelligence which results in common epithet is too sure to provoke the other; of complaint that it is seldom referred to, sense; and common sense demands of the and we who wish to see the community A vague hope exists that a remedy will be members of a republic or democracy that in politically divided, not laterally, according applied by the new treaty, and in the mean- choosing the administrators of their public to means of livelihood, but vertically, accordtime each new squeeze is fought as it best affairs they know who are the best citizens, | ing to political opinions, deprecate earnestly can be, by the victim. Cases have been of and have the will to take them. Thus a re- what looks too like the setting up equanifrequent occurrence lately at Ningpo, in public, for its welfare, should be able not mity of wealth for the misgiving as to conwhich manufactured goods the bond fide only to breed capable, honest men, nature's sequences felt by labour. We have statutproperty of foreigners, and produce either aristocrats, but, having bred them, be so ably invited labour to think and vote purchased or heavily advanced upon; have alive to noble general interests as to put Then let us to prove our sincerity, by ennothing alarming was brought forward for been stopped on their way to and from the them into its high places. In a word, a re- abling it to do so in the only way in which interior. But the most glaring instance we public, to thrive, should be a democratic it believes itself free to exercise its privi-

THE SUCCESS OF "LA LANTERNE. (La Liberté-Paris, Sept. 11.) One of our friends, quite averse to an exaggeration, tells us that La Lanterne sell to the extent of 30,000 copies in Belgium whence it comes back, and is read by al those who read a newspaper. La Lanterne is translated in Berlin into German, in New York into English. Except in France. is sold everywhere publicly, and at the price quoted. This is the result of laws of repression and prohibition against the libert of the press! They end in causing to be read with avidity and at any price what indifference would have allowed to pass without becoming curious.

La Lanterne would not have appeared a all, if ministers, more than half a century behind the age, had not suppressed the Ev'enement, a liberal journal, which was forced to change its title and call itself Figuro, and if, after it was called Figuro they had not judicially reduced it to the alternative of ceasing to appear, or of be coming politic, and of dispensing with the services of M. Rochefort, the best of its

The Lanterne having appeared, the alternative lay between two courses. First that which has been taken—to prohibit its sale in the public thoroughfares, prosecution, trial on trial; the effect being to weigh in the same balance of Themis, vulgarly called Justice, on the right the Emperor Napoleou III., on the left M. Henri Ro-

The second, that which they have taken good care not to follow—systematic disdain imperturbable disdain, absolute disdain of all personalities, either witty or insulting, which had or would appear in the Lanterne against the fortunate author of the coup detat of the 2nd of December, "who had

By the first of these two courses the pr sent Government has shown the degree of of any other grounds. Still he did not wish | co-operative policy is fast bringing our re- its powerlessness; for the more it prosecutes the Lanterne in France, the more it increases its success, not only in Europe, but also in other parts of the world. By the second the "universitaire" of

Ham, crowned under the name of Napoleon 111, the Emperor of the French, by imitating and equalling Frederick the Great, King of Prussia, would have shown the degree of his superiority. The best way to appear great, the way to become great, and to make one's enemies appear small, lessen them, if not to overwhelm them, under the weight of condemnation, is to overwhelm them under the weight of dis-

Where was the danger of adopting this latter course in preference to the other?— Did the severities heaped on the Lanterne prevent it from appearing? No. Do they prevent it from being read? Never did it count a greater number of readers; what does it matter whether these readers are in France or out of it! Have they made M Rochefort more reserved? He was never so implacable as in No. XIV., which every body we know has read, which proves that M. Rochefort has been able to find out the way to keep the engagements which h makes (pages 14 and 15), to get the Lanterne into France at every frontier, and to spread a surprising number of copies in Paris.

18 THE BALLOT NECESSARY Mr Henry Berkeley challenges the opinion of Mr Mill, that in these days the tain classes of electors.

at least, at what we understand his word to mean, we grapple at once with the objection | The Government of Victoria, finding that governors, one or many, are pseudo-aristo- that there is no necessity for the change the other colonial Governments were dicrats. Nature says to man: Choose ye for proposed. Are the employed and depen- latory in their action, resolved on acting rulers the best I furnish, but do not dare dent secure from the overweening and over- for themselves alone, and suggested that encroach in my large function by aiming to bearing influence of those whom fortune the home Government would find one-half confine the virtues and faculties of ruler- has placed above them? Where is the the necessary subsidy, the Government of ship to a few families. Less pure in blood souse, the reason, or the justice of setting | Victoria would contribute the rest. With heraldically, its blood is richer, more proli- up the conscience or courage of the well-to- this suggestion the Treasury refused to fic. essentially more aristocratic. Take do classes as the measure of what ought to comply. Early in 1862 a proposal was adfrom England her Wolseys, and Burleighs, be the conscience or courage of the strug- vanced for a Rangoon and Singapore teleand Bacons, and Cromwells, and Somersets, gling dealer in a back street, or the work- graph, with stations at Tavoy and Penang. and Clives, and Nelsons, and l'itts, and man in an over-manned branch of handi- The capital was to be 450,000%, and the Foxes, and Cannings, and Peels, all ple- craft? Is not this as much intolerance in subsidy required was 50,000%. This project beians, and you unman her history. Had politics as the dictating what other men also failed, and when a fresh plan was sugnot the blood of her bereditary rulers been jought to believe in religion? It is too late gested later in the year, the Treasury dethus refreshed and invigorated, her De to argue as the Tories were used to do- clined altogether to consider it. In July Veres, and Tudors, and Percys. and Ne- that men who are not independent socially 1862, the statement of the promoters of the villes, and Howards would not have been and pecuniarily, had better not be enrolled | Auglo-Australian and China Telegraph was so powerful and so famous. It is the as electors. Parliament has, after ample drawn up. The works proposed were :-- 1. virtue of the English polity, of the English and anxious discussion, decreed that it is A cable from Rangoon to Singapore. 2. A character, that, under monarchic and oli- expedient they should be. By every con- cable from Singapore to Hong Kong, via garchic forms, high and highest places are stitutional analogy men on whom rights Sarawak, Labuan, and Mauila, or via Salgon. kept open to the nien fittest for regency, have thus been conferred are morally bound 3. The extension of the Dutch lines which nature's aristocrats, drawn often from the to exercise them; and, experimentally, we connect Singapore with Batavia and the all know that of the newly enfranchised, east end of Java to the terminus of the For its prosperous administration and en- multitudes will. How is it, then, if on telegraph system in Australia, the total cost durance a republic has especial need of natheir way to the poll these multitudes ask of the whole work being estimated at of the 100 children reared by the parents, ture's aristocrats, of the best men engender- that they should be kept clear of insuit, 2,250,000%. In 1863 the whole question 17 die in the first year, whilst the mortality ed in its bosom. For a republic stands and threat, or violence | Will any man seriously was again laid before the Secretary of State | amongst children handed over to the care thrives on self-government, and self-govern stand up and tell half a million of his for India, the Queensland Government of nurses is from 34 to 90, according to the ment can only draw its breath of life from countrymen that they are senseless and having consended to co-operate with the department,

about Tls. 700, purchased by a foreign mer- tions should be wise selections. A man ber of proved cases of glaring or gross inabout 95 th North of the Yang-tze-and the ing the men who, in the past decade it were publicly exposed. The essence of three shroffs in charge of it have been seized for two, have made and administered laws at the mischief consists in its silent operation. 2 a.m., in company with a female fellow- shroff in the employment of another been going from bad to worse; and unless prevention, to be of any use, must be easily watcher, so fast asleep that his lamp was merchant, who was of the party, has we have reached the worst, unless by an availed of and generally had recourse to. removed from under his nose. The latter been also seized and treated similarly; inward motion (part instinctive, part cons- If, when the Ballot shall have been some manded. Their clothes, watches, and bing to infect our pores with its poison; and saving of time, continue to vote in that money have been taken from them; and unless we delegate our vast sovereign power | way; but, ceasing to entertain any fear of their lives, even, were threatened when they to better men, to larger men, to freer men, till consequences, they will avow amongst treatment is that the men refused to pay self-seeking—unless, in short, we soon re- that case, Mr Mill's objection will fall to

> A REMARKABLE DISCOVERY. Some strange news comes to us from Paris. It may seem curious to our readers seems, while voyaging in the Far East (how | good government, this treatment of the or when is not specified), has discovered an question is too summary. island of great richness and vast extent 'somewhere on the Coast of China." Cæsar—unlike his great prototype—did not proceed immediately to conquer the new land, but returned quietly to Europe without saying a word about it—being blessed, we must suppose, with a very discreet set of companions, who let no hint of the trehimself the rightful owner of this gem of too old a bird to be caught with chaff-beyet. The discoverer evidently did not think it worth while to make any overtures Atlantic with the benevolent intention of by drowning come in day by day, it would standing" with a band of filibusters, who or, incorrect, should be confuted. would doubtless have "settled" the place

the Japan group ? It is a curious business

TELEGRAPHIC COMMUNICATION BETWEEN INDIA AND AUSTRALIA

altogether. - L. & C. Express.

Taking Mr Mill, then, at his word; or, increase the amount to \$5,0001., to lay a worse in France. submarine line between Java and Sydney.

rather than by cables along the coast. Four routes were suggested for the land line :-1. Port Augusta by Stuart's routs to the Victoria river. Cambridge Gulf. 2. Port Augusta, via Cooper's-creek or Carpentaria, by Bucke's or M'Kinlay's route, and thence to Port Essington or Cambridge Gulf. 3. Port Augusta to King George's Sound and Western Australia to the neighbourhood of Exmouth Bay. 4. Moreton Bay to Port Essington or Cambridge Gulf. The total cost of the land line and cable for the Australian and Java section would, it was urged cost only 450.000l., as against 1.100.000l. the estimate for a cable round the coast to chant in the country and coming down to without faith in humanity, or one timidation are comparatively few? Why Brisbane. This plan was submitted to the India Office, as well as a fresh disposition for the laying of the Rangoon and Singapore section. Strange to say, the application was not entertained, though the chain of telegraph was almost complete from England to Rangoon, though Australia and Holland were willing to give financial aid. and though the Indian Government a short time before was contemplating laying a Rangoon and Singapore cable at its own risk. Why the Home Government has so long discouraged the enterprise is inexplicable, for the importance of its completion cannot be

MISCELLANEOUS.

MR Seward's penchant for interference has led him into a disagreeable scrape. Some time ago he prevailed upon Count Bismarck to agree to recognise the Republic of Mexico under the Government of Juarez. Unfortunately, he omitted to consult Juarez himself until after Count Bismarck agreed to recognition; and the Mexican President refused to receive a Minister from Prussia until a new treaty had been concluded. Count Bismarck, who doubtless expected that the recognition would be gladly accepted by Juarez, would not conmost of whom probably think they know | sont to this condition, and the philanthropic something of the Coast of China-that a intentions of Mr Seward have been defeated, large and important island has hitherto lain | The correspondent of the Standard disundiscovered in that region; yet M. Ed- misses the report of an intended American mond Texier assures us (through the co- | protectorate for Mexico, on the ground that lumus of the Siecle) that such is the fact. | the Americans "have enough to do in M. Edmond Texier is a French journalist, looking after their own affairs." As Mexico who has an adventurous Italian friend na- is one of the finest countries in the world. med Cæsar Moreno. This gentleman, it | and might be made a mine of wealth under

DR. Kidd, of Sackville street, Piccadilly, has again something to say upon the subject of the treatment of drowning cases. He seems to accept the extraordinary statements recently obtained from American sources, of recoveries after two hours' ap. parent death. Whether Dr. Kidd is also content to believe that resuscitation is posmendous secret escape them. Considering | sible after the body has been in the water for some hours, we do not find from his letthe China Sea, he "offered" it to his own | ter. Such a statement has been made. Government; but whether they considered | however, and, we believe, without chalthe title doubtful, or had enough work on lenge. Dr. Kidd says: "Artificial respirahand already, for some reason or other | tion of the only real and infallible kind in it was declined. Prussia was next tried, I these drowning cases within the first two but with no better success; and this | hours is obtained by a plan suggested by siis stranger still, when we take into con- milar accidents under chloroform; but the sideration the avowed desire of Count rules laid down at present rather prove Bismark to establish a German Colony in | hurtful, and discourage the bystanders: China. Napoleon the Third next had the hence many of the cases are lost. Dozens refusal of it, but his Imperial Majesty was of late lives lost might in all probability have been saved if modern scientific facts sides there is Cochin-China not quite settled | had been utilised." He condemns old-fashioned rules laid down in old books and by societies. His statements are somewhat to Great Britain-so he then crossed the startling, and now that accounts of death revenging himself against the apathetic be well that his theory, if correct, should European Powers by "coming to an under- supersede unscientific modes of treatment.

THE Paris correspondent of the Times is -if they could only have found it-to some | inclined to treat the probability of war purpose. But here a brilliant thought rather seriously. The warlike distribes and struck M. Moreno. Mr Seward was "going | pacitic protestations are of little value, but ' for territory-why not try him ? The i the writer thinks the ambiguous tactics of trial was made, and, M. Moreno informs | the French Government press must have his friend Edmond Texier, with every ap- some meaning. It would be easy for the pearance of success. "Mr Seward received | Emperor to restore something like confihim well, considered the affair, and seems | dence by a change of tone in the official likely to conclude it." So M. Texier press, to say nothing of disarmament ; but publishes all this history in the Siècle, to nothing of this kind is done, the communishow the ungrateful Powers of Europe what | que and the avertissement remain unemploya magnificent apportunity they have lost. ed. The belief in a winter campaign gains Moreno says, he expects to "take posses- ground, for reasons we have before stated. sion" of this island in the name of the The continued occupation of Rome is also Great Republic. Has he been bewitched considered an unfavourable symptom. If by some Will-o'-the-Wisp, like the fabled | war be near at hand, it is obviously more conisle of St. Brandan I or does he intend to venient to leave the French troops where make over to the United States-for a con- they are than to withdraw them and have sideration-Formosa or Chusar, or part of to send a fresh expedition a few months or weeks later. The writer justly concludes that it is too late to gain the Italian people to the side of France by evacuating

Since 1815 Great Britain has spent on her military and naval establishments and It has long been a source of surprise to | the interest of the national debt (for past the commercial world (says the Times) that | wars) £2,597,000,000. In the present year no telegraphic communication exists be- the cost of the army and the navy is over tween our Oriental possessions and Austra- | 281 millions, and the outlay for fortificalia, even though five years have elapsed tions over half a million, making a total of since the completion of our agencies of tele- | 554 millions (irrespective of the cost of the graphic correspondence with India. Since army in India). This is at the rate of 100 1860 statistics have been collected, estimates | guineas per minute, day and night throughprepared, and plans proposed from time to out the year. The total annual expenditime for the promotion of this most impor- ture is nearly 70 millions; so that while tant project; but the policy of the Govern- 21d. out of every shilling suffices for the ment has rendered all the efforts of private | civil expense of the country, including eduenterprise unavailing. A brief sketch of cation, the administration of justice, and the history of the negotiations regarding salaries of Ministers, 91d. is spent for past this subject may not be uninteresting at wars or providing against present. Here the present time. In 1861 several of the is something for the householders' Parliaprotection of secresy is not needed by cer- colonies voted subsidies to the amount of ment to pender. There is but one thing to 23,000t, and further steps were taken to be said: they manage these things much

THE intelligence from South Africa confirms the report that a rich gold country had been found on the borders of the Transvaal Republic. This new field-for it is said to be literally a field of glistening quartz veined with gold-has been named the Victoria Diggings. In the early part of May the quartz reef to the north bank of the River Tatin was taken possession of by sixty or seventy men. So rich were the deposits of gold on this reef that the diggers confined their attention to it, and were hammering and blasting pieces of quartz which proved remarkably productive of the precious metal, that is said to be present in its most pure and unalloyed form. A general rush from all the English colonies is expected, and it is likely that the social condition of South Africa will soon be sutirely transformed. Samples of rich quartz and gold dust continue to arrive at all the chief ports of the colonies.

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Intimations

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of Box Holders will be received at the window set apart for the purpose, on the East Side of the building. All correspondence for places to which prepayment is compulsory must be prepaid

in Hongkong Postage Stanips. Insufficiently-stamped Letters addressed to the United Kingdom will be sent on, addition to the postage. Letters posted after 7 A.M. on the 3rd Nov.

will not be forwarded unless the Late Fee as well as the postage is prepaid. Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped addressed to places to which they cannot be forwarded unpaid, will be opened and returned to the writers as early as possible, but no guarantee can be given that such Letters, if posted after 8 P.M. on the 2nd Nov., will be returned until after the mail is closed.

Postage Stamps should be placed on the originally drawn. upper right hand corner of the corres pondence, except in cases where they may be used in payment of "Late Fees," when the Stamp or Stamps represent ing the late fee should be placed on the lower left-hand corner.

All transactions in fractional parts of a Dollar will be conducted in the Coins prethe Proclamation of the 22nd January. 1864, and no other Coins, but those therein specified will either be received or given in change as fractional parts of a Dollar.

Payment for Postage Stamps must be made in the current Dollars of the Colony or Bank Notes. Money Orders on any of the Money Order

Office in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P.M. on the 2nd Nov-F. W. MITCHELL, Postmuster General.

General Post-Office. Hongkong, October 27, 1868.

IT is hereby notified for general information that henceforward the Postage chargeable on Book and Packets of Patterns addressed to the United States of America transmitted via the United Kingdom wil be as follows, viz:-

Via Southampton. Under 4 ounce, - - - 12 cents. Above 4 ounce and not exceeding 8 ounce; - - 24 Above 8 ounce and not exceeding 12 ounce, - - - 36 Above 12 ounce and not excceding 16 ounces, - - - 48 ,,

For every additional 4 oz., Via MARSEILLES. - 16 cents. Under 4 ounce, - -Above 4 ounce and not exceeding 8 ounce, - - 32 Above 8 ounce and not exceeding 12 ounce, - - -Above 12 ounce and not exceeding 16 ounce, - - - 64 For every additional 4 oz., 16 Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory

in each case. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office,

Hongkong, June 18, 1868. 1.-On the 1st October next, and thenceforward Money Orders will be issued at this Office and at the Agencies thereof at Shanghai and Yokohama on all the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for amounts not exceeding £10, at the rate of Exchange Current for Each Mail, and charged with Commission according to the following

Scale, viz.:-For stims not exceeding £2,.....12 Above £2 and not exceeding £ 5,....24 £ 7,...42 2.-No Money Order to include a frac-

tional part of a Penny. 3.-Orders drawn in the United Kingdom upon Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yoko. hama, will be paid at the rate of Exchange. at which Money Orders are being issued at Policies on Life Assurances. the time of their presentation. 4.—Alphabetical Lists of over 3,700 sals, &c., apply to Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom, shewing the Counties in which they

are situated, are hung up for public reference at this Office, and also at Shanghai and Yokohama. 5 .- Applicants for Money Orders must furnish, in full, the surname, and, at least, the initial of one Christian name, both of the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remitter or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his ordinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, the usual designation of such firm, such as Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board "Baring Brothers" will suffice; but the Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harmere term Messrs., such as "Messrs. Ri- bour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. vington," or the name of a Company trad-

ing under a title which does not consist of the names of the persons composing it, such for their decision. as "Carron Co." is inadmissible. 6.—The Remitter on stating that the Or- first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single der is to be paid only through a Bank, to Life. have the option of giving or withdrawing the name of the Payce; in such case, the Order will be crossed in the same way that Cheques are commonly crossed when they are intended to be paid through a Bank.

7.—When an Order is presented through a Bank, a receipt by any person will be sufficient, provided the Order be crossed with the name of the receiving Bank, and be presented by some Person known to be in the employ of such Bank.

8.—The signature of the Payee of a Money Order to be affixed to the Order in the place provided for the purpose. If the nary Letters, Letters for Registration, Payee be unable to write he must sign the Newspapers, Books, &c., until 8 P.M. receipt by making his mark in the presence on the 2nd Nov. Letters, &c., may of a Witness, who must sign his name, with be posted in the night box from 8 P.M. his address in the presence of the Officer

9.—Should the Payee of a Money Order All Letters posted between 7 and 8 A.M. desire to receive payment in the Country in on the 3rd Nov., will be chargeable, in | which the Order was issued, at some other addition to the usual postage, with a Office than that in which the Order was originally drawn, the transfer will be granted Postmaster of the Office in which it was Books, or Patterns 7 A.M. on the 3rd | drawn. In such case a new Order will be issued, the Commission chargeable upon Payment for Postage Stanips must be made | which will be deducted from the amount of

10 .- In the event of a Money Order Money Orders on any of the Money Order miscarrying or being lost, a duplicate will be granted on a written application from the Payce, (containing the necessary particulars, and accompanied by an addidressed to the United Kingdom via tional Commission) to the Office where the 11.—On the receipt of a similar applica-

to 8.50 A.M. on payment of a late fee tion, orders will be given to stop payment of 48 cents each, in addition to the of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed postage, after which no Letters can be Order. The additional Commission in the last case will be deducted from the amount Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be presented with the application for a new Order.

12.—But when it is desired that any error in the name of the Remitter or Payee should be corrected or that the amount of a Money Order should be repaid to the Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in charged with a fine of One Shilling in which the Order was originally drawn, application must be made to the Chief Money Order Office of such Country. This application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have reference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Commission will be deducted from the

amount of the New Order. 13.—Repayment whether of an original or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was

14. -Payment of an Order must be obtained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn for instance, if drawn in January, payment must be obtained before the end of July, otherwise the Order will become lapsed, and a new Order (for which a second Commission, to be deducted from the amoun scribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and of the Order, will be charged) will become

15.—If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn, -for instance, if drawn in January and not paid before the end of the following January-all claim to the Money will be forfeited, unless, under peculiar circumstances, the Post Office of the Country in which the Order was drawn think proper to allow it. 16.—After once paying a Money Order

by whomsoever presented, the paying Office. will not be liable to any further claim. If a wrong payment, however, be made owing to negligence on the part of any Officer o the Post Office, the Postmaster General of the Country or Colony in which the negli gence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss.

17.-No Money Order will be paid unless the advice has been previously received. 18.—Additional Rules for greater secu rity against fraud, and for the better work ing of the system generally will be made as occasion may require.

19.—Should it appear that Money Orders are used by mercantile men, or others either in the United Kingdom or at Hongkong, Shangbai or Yokobama, for the transmission of large sums of money, the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will consider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise the power of wholly suspending for a time the issue of Money Orders. By Command.

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

Insurances

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. London. Incorporated 1859.

CAPITAL, -£1,000,000. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1838. CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China, - Mesers. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong. Medical Referee, - J. Ivon MURRAY. Esq., M.D.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue For further particulars, forms of propo-AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Managing Agents in China. Hongkong, June, 1867. LANCASHIRE INSURANCE. COMPANY. (FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL,-Two Millions Sterling. THE Undersigned are prepared to grant POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors If required, protection will be granted on

For Rates of Premiums, forms of pronosals or any other information apply to. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

nsurances. LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents at Hongkong and Canton for the above Company are prepared to grant olicies against Sea Risks at current rates. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, July 27, 1868.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, NOTICE. ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period insurances.

Not exceeding } def the Annual Rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding three ? 2 " months Above 3 m'ths and not exceeding mouths.

Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents | Lancashire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 14, 1868. PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings, or on Goods Stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, September 28, 1868. NORTH CHINA INSURANCE Co. HE Undersigued, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company at the Ports of Tansut and KELUNG, are prepared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSUR-ANGE at current rates. DODD & Co.

Tameui, 10th August, 1868. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

 ${f COMPANY}.$ HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864

NOTICE. IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. PROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Above 1 month and

not exceeding 3, ... } Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,... Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate. GIUB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

TINTIL further notice the following An- separate Office of the Company will nual Rates will be charged for Fire opened in London, on 1st January, 1869. Insurance, viz :-Detached and Semi-detached; Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their

🔒 per cent. Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents. 1 per cent.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Honglong, March 6, 1865.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS ever required to do so. INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Contents:

Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents. per annum. Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c and their Contents, GILMAN & Co.,

Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866. NOTICE.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. TROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz:-Not exceeding one } 4 of the annual rate

Above I month, and a not exceeding 3 } 1 months. Above 3 months, and not exceeding 6 } 1 months. Above 6 months, .. the full Annual rate GILMAN & Co.,

Hongkong, April 7, 1868. THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. THE Undersigned having been appointed prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insur-

Agents, North British and Mercantile

Insurance Company.

ance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867,

insurances.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809. CAPITAL £2,000,000

ACOUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263.

HE Undersigned Agents at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same. GILMAN & Co

Hongkong, June 21, 1864.

NOTICE. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY. HE following Rates will be charged in

future for short period Insurances, Not exceeding 1 month, & per cent. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1 Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,..... do. Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-

RATION. THE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances: One month. . . per cent. Three months, ... Six months, HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868. THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.

(Established 1st January, 1863.) APITAL, TLS. 1,500,000, IN 1,500 SHARES, FOR TLS. 1,000 EACH. Paid up Capital, Taels 300,000, or Taels 200 per Share.

Provisional Committee. W. J. BRYANS, Esq., Chairman. (Messrs Turner & Co.) F. H. BELL, Esq. (Messis W. R. Adamson & Co.) A. Michie, Esq.

(Messrs Chapman, King & Co.) E. H. LAVERS, Esq. (Messrs Gilman & Co.) F. POLTER, Esq. (Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co.)

Directors of the Company, 1866-68. T a General Meeting held on Tuesday, A the 12th day of May, 1868, the fol lowing Resolutions were passed, relative to the continuance of the Company for a fur-Not exceeding 1 month, 1 of the annual rate ther period of three years from the 1st January, 1869; and Notice is hereby given that applications for Shares in the annexed Form, will be received at the Offices of the Company until 31st October, 1868.

Applications for Shares from Persons not resident in Shanghai, must be accompanied by a Power of Attorney to their Agents to sign the Deed of Settlement on their behalf and generally to represent them in all matters connected with the Company. In accordance with the Resolution passed

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. at the meeting of 18th November, 1867. By order of the Court of Directors, JOHN S. MACKINTÓSH,

Secretary. Shanghai, May 15, 1868.

Form of Application for Shares. No. For cent. To the Provisional Committee of the NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY. GENTLEMEN.

hereby request that you will allot Shares in the above Company, and agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to ; and agree to pay the first call of Tls. 200 per Share, and all subsequent calls, and to subscribe to the Deed of Settlement when-

Gentlemen. Your obedient Servant

Resolutions referred to above. RES. I.—That a Company to be called the "North-China Insurance Company' shall be formed for a further period of three years, from 1st January, 1869 to 31st Dec. RES. II.—That the Directors for the time

being of the present Company be appointed to act as a Provisional Committee to organize the new Company. Res. III.—That this meeting recommends that the Provisional Committee should Shares of Tls. 1,000 each; l'aid up Capital, ROB. S.-WALKER & Co. Tls. 300,000 or Tls. 200 per Share, and that the Committee be authorized to issue prospectus inviting applications for Shares and to proceed with the allotment. Sloo

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding } } of the Annual Rate. one month. Above 1 month and not exceeding three

months,.....

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and not ex-

ceeding six (4 " months, Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company Hongkong, April 7, 1868,

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. CAPITAL,-Two MILLION STERLING. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Agents of the above Corporation are port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings

or on Goods stored therein. MORGAN, LAMBURT & Co. Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

insurances. ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE

COMPANY, NOTICE. L'ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz.—

Not exceeding } } of the Annual Rate. Above $\mathbf{1}_i$ month and not exceeding three months, Above 3 m'ths and not exceeding months

Above 6 m'ths, 'The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. I'HE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding 1 month, 1 of the annual rate. Above I month and not

Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,..... do. Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company. Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

exceeding 3 months, 1

-MERCHANT'S MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, SAN FRANCISCO.

PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, August 9 1867. NOTICE. GUARDIAN ASSURANCE COMPANY

ESTABLISHED 1821.

OF LONDON.

CAPITAL £2,000,000. HEIUndersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company for Hongkong and Canton are prepared to grant Policies at current rates.

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

FIRE AND LIFE. CAPITAL, £2,000,000.

(LIFE DEPARTMENT.) £2 perCent per Annum Bonus declared during the last Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two Years' standing.

The utmost liberality practised in the settlement of all Claims, with the repre sentatives of deceased Assurers. An Assurance for any sum not exceeding £1000 can be effected with the Undersigne without referring to Head-quarters.

By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned year at the close of each current year, without reference to England. Fees to Medical Referees paid by the No forfeiture of Policy from uninten

tional mis-statement. Premiums payable Half-yearly or Annually at the option of the Assured. Annual Premiums for an Assurance of £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2, 10s. per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a permament resident in Europe :-

Age.	WITHOUT PARTICIPATION			WITH PARTICIPATION.		
lõ	£3	19	8	£4	5	6
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35	. 5	0	0	5	6	2
40	5	·: 8	0	5	14	1
45	5	17	11	6	4	6
50	6	11	7	6	18	3
55	7	11	1	8	0	4
60	8	16	0 1	9	8	. 7

N.B. Intermediate ages charged proportionably. For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances and for any further information, apply to. ROB, S. WALKER & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, September 3, 1864. AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Policies against Sea Risks on the usual Risks, and issue Policies on any first class torms. Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual Hongkong, August 1866. adopt as the basis of the new Company that terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA, the capital should be 1,500,000 in 1,500 SINGAPOBE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON,

Hongkong, June 17, 1864. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.

FIHE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Se-TROM and after this date the following cretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE rates will be charged for Short Period | COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and Er. | Above 6 months

PROTS, therein contained. In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged ; PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-SURANCE On the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz. :-Detached and semi-detached.

Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Contents Other Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their Contents First Class China House and 1½ per cent

their Contents, Other Risks as per special arrangement. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

Insurances.

NOTICE. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding One per cent. Above One Month and not exceeding lper cent. Three Months. Above Three Months and not exceeding } 4 per cent. Six Months.

The full Annual Rate Above Six Months. of 1 per cent. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

LIFE ASSURANCE, PHE Undersigned have received Authority by a recent Mail to issue LIFE Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, as was previously required by the Board.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, January 6, 1865.

NOTICE. HE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool. Hongkong, June 17, 1864. YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAL DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) Eight per cent. has been declared on the net

Premia contributed to the above Association for the Year ending 30th September. Policy holders will please send in particulars of their contribution to that date to

the Undersigned.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, September 8, 1868. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and

GOODS, at current rates RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1867. BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named COMPANY are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1865. YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-TION OF SHANGHAL

THE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai. In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each

tifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the Company for that year divided pro rata to the amount of premium paid by each poicv-holder. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. FHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above INSUE-ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current

EUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866. SAMARAN I SEA AND HIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF

SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed A Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates. RAYNAL & Co. . . Macao, August 4, 1866.

DE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-

PANY OF BATAVIA SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR-ANCE COMPA 'Y OF SAMARANG. FITHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Companies are prepared to grant SIEMSSEN & Co.

NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY. FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Perica

NOTICE.

Insurances:--Not exceeding one of the Annual rate. month, Above one month andnotexceeding 3 months,

and not exceed-

ing 6 months,.... TURNER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, April 13, 1868.

NAVIGATION COMPANY. INSURANCE OF PASSENGERS' BAGGAGE AND

FFFECTS. A RRANGEMENTS have been made with the Marine and General Mutual Life Assurance Society (Head Office, 14 Leaden. hall Street, London) to afford facilities to Passengers by the Peninsular and Oriental per cent. Company, to insure their Baggage and Effects.

The Table of Rates is for the whole of f per cent. the journey from Hongkong to England. including transit through Egypt. , Any further information may be obtained at this Office.

W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. Hongkong, October 10, 1868,

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